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**CONFIRMATION NO. 9659** 

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#### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

#### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
   Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing.

  A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• Additional claim fees of \$131 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$581 for a Small Entity

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- \$385 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

• Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$131

■ \$86 for 2 independent claims over 3.

■ \$45 for 5 total claims over 20.

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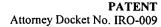
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## CERTIFICATE OF FIRST CLASS MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8

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#### Submitted herewith are:

- 1. Transmittal Form (1 pg.);
- 2. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (2 pgs.);
- 3. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts (1 pg.);
- 4. Fee Transmittal (1 pg.);
- 5. Check for \$581.00;
- 6. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pgs.);
- 7. Patent Practitioners of Record Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.32(c)(3); and
- 8. Return Receipt Postcard.

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Sir:

# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated June 18, 2004, enclosed are the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and a check in the amount of \$581.00 for filing in the above-referenced application.

The check in the amount of \$581.00 is for payment of the filing fees and additional claim fees in total amount of \$516.00 and for payment of the surcharge of \$65.00 in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e).

Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are being filed under separate cover on even date hereof.

Applicants believe that no extension-of-time or other fee is required. However, please charge Deposit Account No. 20-0531 for any additional fees that may be due in this matter.

Date: July <u>20</u>, 2004

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